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File: USPT

Aug 7, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6270763

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6270763 B1

TITLE: Cloning and recombinant production of vespid venom phospholipases, and immunological therapies based thereon

DATE-ISSUED: August 7, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
King; Te Piao	New York	NY	10021	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/94.6; 435/198, 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/320.1, 530/350,
536/23.1, 536/23.2, 536/23.5

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☐ 2. Document ID: US 6242568 B1

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File: USPT

Jun 5, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6242568

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6242568 B1

TITLE: Zinc finger protein derivatives and methods therefor

DATE-ISSUED: June 5, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Barbas, III; Carlos F.	San Diego	CA	N/A	N/A
Gottesfeld; Joel M.	San Diego	CA	N/A	N/A
Wright; Peter E.	La Jolla	CA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/350; 435/252.3, 435/320.1, 435/417, 435/69.1, 530/400,
536/23.5, 536/23.6, 536/23.72

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☐ 3. Document ID: US 6239327 B1

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File: USPT

May 29, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6239327
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6239327 B1

TITLE: Seed specific polycomb group gene and methods of use for same

DATE-ISSUED: May 29, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Grossniklaus; Ueli	Cold Spring Harbor	NY	N/A	N/A
Vielle-Calzada; Jean-Philippe	Huntington	NY	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/278; 435/252.3, 435/320.1, 435/419, 435/468, 435/6, 435/69.1,
536/23.1, 536/23.6, 800/284, 800/290, 800/295, 800/298

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☐ 4. Document ID: US 6225526 B1

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File: USPT

May 1, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6225526

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6225526 B1

TITLE: DNA molecules which code for a plastid 2-oxoglutarate/malate

DATE-ISSUED: May 1, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Flugge; Ulf-Ingo	Koln	N/A	N/A	DEX
Weber; Andreas	Koln	N/A	N/A	DEX
Fischer; Karsten	Hurth-Efferen	N/A	N/A	DEX

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/278; 435/419, 435/468, 435/69.1, 800/284

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 5. Document ID: US 6207153 B1

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Mar 27, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6207153
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6207153 B1

TITLE: Antigen binding fragments that specifically detect cancer cells,
nucleotides encoding the fragments, and use thereof for the prophylaxis and
detection of cancers

DATE-ISSUED: March 27, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Dan; Michael D.	Scarborough	N/A	N/A	CAX
Maiti; Pradip K.	Winnipeg	N/A	N/A	CAX
Kaplan; Howard A.	Winnipeg	N/A	N/A	CAX

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/138.1; 424/141.1, 424/142.1, 424/155.1, 530/387.7, 530/388.8,
530/391.1, 530/391.3, 530/391.7

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☐ 6. Document ID: US 6166178 A

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File: USPT

Dec 26, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6166178
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6166178 A

TITLE: Telomerase catalytic subunit

DATE-ISSUED: December 26, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Cech; Thomas R.	Boulder	CO	N/A	N/A
Lingner; Joachim	Boulder	CO	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/324; 530/827, 530/828, 536/23.2, 536/23.5

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 7. Document ID: US 6143543 A

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File: USPT

Nov 7, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6143543

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6143543 A

TITLE: Enzyme system comprising ferulic acid esterase from Aspergillus

DATE-ISSUED: November 7, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Michelsen; Birgit	Frederiksberg	N/A	N/A	DKX
De Vries; Ronald Peter	Wageningen	N/A	N/A	NLX
Visser; Jacob	Wageningen	N/A	N/A	NLX
S.o slashed.e; J.o slashed.rn Borch	Mundelstrup	N/A	N/A	DKX
Poulsen; Charlotte Horsmans	Braband	N/A	N/A	DKX
Zargahi; Masoud R.	Aarhus	N/A	N/A	DKX

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/196; 435/187, 435/189, 435/195, 435/197

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 8. Document ID: US 6140466 A

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File: USPT

Oct 31, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6140466

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6140466 A

TITLE: Zinc finger protein derivatives and methods therefor

DATE-ISSUED: October 31, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Barbas, III; Carlos F.	San Diego	CA	N/A	N/A
Gottesfeld; Joel M.	Del Mar	CA	N/A	N/A
Wright; Peter E.	La Jolla	CA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/350; 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/320.1, 435/471, 435/69.1,
435/69.7, 530/400, 536/23.5, 536/23.6, 536/23.72

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☐ 9. Document ID: US 6136558 A

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File: USPT

Oct 24, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6136558
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6136558 A

TITLE: Heregulin variants

DATE-ISSUED: October 24, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ballinger; Marcus D.	Burlingame	CA	N/A	N/A
Jones; Jennifer T.	San Leandro	CA	N/A	N/A
Fairbrother; Wayne J.	Burlingame	CA	N/A	N/A
Sliwkowski; Mark X.	San Carlos	CA	N/A	N/A
Wells; James A.	Burlingame	CA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/69.1; 435/252.3, 435/320.1, 435/325, 514/2, 530/300, 530/350,
536/23.1

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 10. Document ID: US 6087167 A

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File: USPT

Jul 11, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6087167
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6087167 A

TITLE: Eck receptor ligands

DATE-ISSUED: July 11, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Bartley; Timothy D.	Thousand Oaks	CA	N/A	N/A
Boyle; William J.	Moorpark	CA	N/A	N/A
Fox; Gary M.	Newbury Park	CA	N/A	N/A
Welcher; Andrew A.	Glendale	CA	N/A	N/A
Magal; Ella	Thousand Oaks	CA	N/A	N/A
Lindberg; Richard A.	Thousand Oaks	CA	N/A	N/A
Parker; Vann P.	Newbury Park	CA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/325; 435/353, 435/366, 435/368, 514/12

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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File: USPT

Jul 4, 2000

L6: Entry 11 of 27

US-PAT-NO: 6083904

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6083904 A

TITLE: Therapeutic and diagnostic methods and compositions based on notch proteins and nucleic acids

DATE-ISSUED: July 4, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME

Artavanis-Tsakonas; Spyridon

CITY

Hamden

STATE

CT

ZIP CODE

N/A

COUNTRY

N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 514/2; 424/130.1, 424/143.1, 435/7.23, 514/12

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 12. Document ID: US 5981219 A

File: USPT

Nov 9, 1999

L6: Entry 12 of 27

US-PAT-NO: 5981219

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5981219 A

TITLE: DNA molecules which code for a plastid 2-oxoglutarate/malate translocator

DATE-ISSUED: November 9, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME

Flugge; Ulf-Ingo

Weber; Andreas

Fischer; Karsten

CITY

Koln

Koln

Hurth-Efferen

STATE

N/A

N/A

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ZIP CODE

N/A

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/69.1; 435/252.3, 435/254.11, 435/320.1, 530/350, 530/370, 530/379, 536/23.1, 536/23.6, 536/24.1, 536/24.3

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 13. Document ID: US 5939541 A

File: USPT

Aug 17, 1999

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US-PAT-NO: 5939541
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5939541 A

TITLE: Method for enhancing expression of a foreign or endogenous gene product in plants

DATE-ISSUED: August 17, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Vance; Vicki B.	Columbia	SC	N/A	N/A
Pruss; Gail J.	Columbia	SC	N/A	N/A
Dawson; William O.	Winter Haven	FL	N/A	N/A
Carrington; James	Pullman	WA	N/A	N/A
Marton; Laszlo	Columbia	SC	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 536/24.1, 435/320.1, 435/411, 435/468, 536/23.72, 800/287, 800/288

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 14. Document ID: US 5929304 A

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File: USPT

Jul 27, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5929304
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5929304 A

TITLE: Production of lysosomal enzymes in plant-based expression systems

DATE-ISSUED: July 27, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Radin; David N.	Blacksburg	VA	N/A	N/A
Cramer; Carole L.	Blacksburg	VA	N/A	N/A
Oishi; Karen K.	Blacksburg	VA	N/A	N/A
Weissenborn; Deborah L.	Blacksburg	VA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/288, 435/183, 435/206, 435/320.1, 435/410, 435/414, 435/69.1, 536/23.1, 536/23.2, 536/24.1, 800/278, 800/287, 800/294, 800/295, 800/317.3

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 15. Document ID: US 5874626 A

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File: USPT

Feb 23, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5874626
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5874626 A

TITLE: Osmotin gene promoter and use thereof

DATE-ISSUED: February 23, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Bressan; Ray	W. Lafayette	IN	N/A	N/A
Hasegawa; Paul M.	W. Lafayette	IN	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/279; 435/252.3, 435/419, 435/468, 536/24.1, 800/278, 800/287,
800/301, 800/317.3

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 16. Document ID: US 5869719 A

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File: USPT

Feb 9, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5869719

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5869719 A

TITLE: Transgenic plants having increased biotin content

DATE-ISSUED: February 9, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Patton; David A.	Durham	NC	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/278; 435/121, 435/412, 435/414, 435/415, 435/419, 435/468,
536/23.6, 536/23.7, 800/298, 800/306, 800/312, 800/317.3, 800/320.1, 800/320.3

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 17. Document ID: US 5859335 A

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File: USPT

Jan 12, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5859335

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5859335 A

TITLE: Enhanced biotin biosynthesis in plant tissue

DATE-ISSUED: January 12, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Patton; David Andrew	Durham	NC	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/278; 435/419, 435/69.1, 536/23.2, 536/23.6, 536/23.7, 800/281,
800/294, 800/298, 800/306, 800/312, 800/317.3, 800/320.1, 800/320.3

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 18. Document ID: US 5850016 A

File: USPT

Dec 15, 1998

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US-PAT-NO: 5850016

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5850016 A

TITLE: Alteration of amino acid compositions in seeds

DATE-ISSUED: December 15, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Jung; Rudolf	Des Moines	IA	N/A	N/A
Hastings; Craig	Perry	IA	N/A	N/A
Coughlan; Sean	Des Moines	IA	N/A	N/A
Hu; David	Johnston	IA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/287; 435/320.1, 435/410, 435/415, 435/6, 435/69.1, 536/23.1,
536/23.4, 536/23.6, 800/312

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 19. Document ID: US 5844089 A

File: USPT

Dec 1, 1998

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US-PAT-NO: 5844089

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5844089 A

TITLE: Genetically fused globin-like polypeptides having hemoglobin-like activity

DATE-ISSUED: December 1, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hoffman; Stephen J.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Looker; Douglas L.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Rosendahl; Mary S.	Broomfield	CO	N/A	N/A
Stetler; Gary L.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Wagenbach; Michael	Osaka	N/A	N/A	JPX
Anderson; David C.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Mathews; Antony James	Louisville	CO	N/A	N/A
Nagai; Kiyoshi	Cambridge	N/A	N/A	GB2

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/385

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 20. Document ID: US 5844088 A

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File: USPT

Dec 1, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5844088

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5844088 A

TITLE: Hemoglobin-like protein comprising genetically fused globin-like polypeptides

DATE-ISSUED: December 1, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hoffman; Stephen J.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Looker; Douglas L.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Rosendahl; Mary S.	Broomfield	CO	N/A	N/A
Stetler; Gary L.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Wagenbach; Michael	Osaka	N/A	N/A	JPX
Anderson; David C.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Mathews; Antony James	Louisville	CO	N/A	N/A
Nagai; Kiyoshi	Cambridge	N/A	N/A	GB2

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/385

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File: USPT

Sep 1, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5801028

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5801028 A

TITLE: Osmotin gene promoter and use thereof

DATE-ISSUED: September 1, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Bressan; Ray	W. Lafayette	IN	N/A	N/A
Hasegawa; Paul M.	W. Lafayette	IN	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/279; 435/200, 435/320.1, 435/419, 536/23.6, 536/24.5

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 22. Document ID: US 5801019 A

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File: USPT

Sep 1, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5801019

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5801019 A

TITLE: DNA encoding fused alpha-beta globin pseudodimer and production of pseudotetrameric hemoglobin

DATE-ISSUED: September 1, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Anderson; David C.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Mathews; Antony James	Louisville	CO	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/69.6; 435/69.1, 435/69.7, 530/385, 536/23.4

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 23. Document ID: US 5786158 A

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File: USPT

Jul 28, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5786158
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5786158 A

TITLE: Therapeutic and diagnostic methods and compositions based on notch proteins and nucleic acids

DATE-ISSUED: July 28, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Artavanis-Tsakonas; Spyridon	Hamden	CT	N/A	N/A
Fehon; Richard Grant	Durham	NC	N/A	N/A
Zagouras; Panayiotis	New Haven	CT	N/A	N/A
Blaumueller; Christine Marie	New Haven	CT	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.23; 435/7.1, 435/7.92, 436/63, 436/64, 436/811, 436/813,
436/815

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☐ 24. Document ID: US 5744329 A

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File: USPT

Apr 28, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5744329
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5744329 A

TITLE: DNA encoding fused di-beta globins and production of pseudotetrameric hemoglobin

DATE-ISSUED: April 28, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hoffman; Stephen J.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Looker; Douglas L.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Rosendahl; Mary S.	Broomfield	CO	N/A	N/A
Stetler; Gary L.	Denver	CO	N/A	N/A
Wagenbach; Michael	Osaka	N/A	N/A	JPX
Anderson; David C.	Lafayette	CO	N/A	N/A
Mathews; Antony James	Louisville	CO	N/A	N/A
Nagai; Kiyoshi	Cambridge	N/A	N/A	GB2

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/69.6; 435/69.1, 435/69.7, 530/385, 536/23.4

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 25. Document ID: US 5612209 A

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File: USPT

Mar 18, 1997

US-PAT-NO: 5612209
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5612209 A

TITLE: Cloning and recombinant production of vespid venom phospholipases, and immunological therapies based thereon

DATE-ISSUED: March 18, 1997

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
King; Te P.	New York	NY	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/198; 435/320.1, 435/69.1, 530/300, 536/23.2, 536/23.5,
536/24.31

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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☐ 26. Document ID: US 5599676 A

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File: USPT

Feb 4, 1997

US-PAT-NO: 5599676
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5599676 A

TITLE: Method for isolating a novel receptor for .alpha.4 integrins

DATE-ISSUED: February 4, 1997

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Vonderheide; Robert H.	Brookline	MA	N/A	N/A
Springer; Timothy A.	Chestnut Hill	MA	N/A	N/A

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.2; 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/254.11, 435/320.1, 435/69.1,
435/91.1, 530/387.1, 536/23.1

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference
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File: USPT

Aug 13, 1996

US-PAT-NO: 5545727

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Acquired inhibitors.

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Factor VIII auto-antibody inhibitors, though rare, may present significant and often life-threatening haemorrhage. These auto-antibodies, arising predominantly in older individuals, occur in association with autoimmune disorders, lymphoproliferative disorders, solid tumours, medications and the postpartum state. Almost half of the patients develop auto-antibodies spontaneously without an underlying medical condition. Factor VIII auto-antibody inhibitors are characterized as polyclonal IgG immunoglobulins directed against the FVIII procoagulant activity. Laboratory diagnosis is made by performing the aPTT clotting time in conjunction with a mixing study, and subsequently with specific factor assays. Auto-antibodies are quantified most commonly utilizing the Bethesda assay. Acquired inhibitors to other **coagulation** factors, including factors IX, XI, XIII, vWF protein, and the vitamin K-dependent proteins are extremely rare. The principles of therapy are similar to those which apply to the management of factor VIII auto-antibodies. **Treatment** of patients with acquired factor VIII auto-antibody inhibitors varies depending upon the underlying medical condition, the titre of the inhibitor, and the clinical presentation. Acutely bleeding patients with high-titre auto-antibodies generally respond well with **infusions** of **porcine** factor VIII concentrate, PCCs or rFVIIa. Extracorporeal plasmapheresis with exchange will acutely reduce circulating antibodies and can be used in conjunction with factor **infusions** and/or IgIV. Haemorrhage in a patient with a low titre auto-antibody will usually respond to high doses of human factor VIII concentrate. DDAVP may also increase factor VIII levels in patients with low-titre inhibitors. Long-term reduction of auto-antibodies can be achieved by immuno-suppressive regimens using steroids and/or cytotoxic agents, IgIV and interferon-alpha. The selection of the appropriate **treatment** depends upon the associated medical condition, likelihood of spontaneous remission, risk of toxicities of therapy and cost. Determining the efficacy and safety of new **treatment** modalities for factor VIII auto-antibodies and other **coagulation** factor inhibitors will require multicentre randomized clinical trials.

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Inhibitors of factor VIII: detection and treatment.

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Alloantibodies occurring in hemophiliacs is a side effect or repeated treatment and represents a severe complication. The induction of immune tolerance using one of the lower dose regimens should be attempted as soon as it is feasible as regimens started soon after the inhibitor appears may have greater success in inducing tolerance. If the hemophiliac with inhibitor hemorrhages, PCC for aPCC should be the first line of therapy since these concentrates can be given in the home setting. If the hemorrhage is severe and the anti-porcine inhibitor titer is low, the patient should be infused in a clinic or hospital setting with porcine factor VIII using increasing doses to achieve a circulating factor VIII level. Entry into clinical trials, such as those using rFVIIa should be encouraged.

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An inhibitor of antihemophilic factor (factor VIII) in an 18-month-old nonhemophilic child.

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PURPOSE: Inhibitors of factor VIII occur in $\leq 20\%$ of severely affected patients with classic hemophilia, but are unusual in nonhemophilic individuals, and have not been reported in very young children. We treated a child with a "high-responding" inhibitor. PATIENT AND METHODS: Our patient was an 18-month-old boy who had experienced several episodes of life-threatening hemorrhage. The techniques we used to decrease production of factor VIII in our patient were prolonged small doses of alternate day corticosteroids and continued administration of factor VIII. RESULTS: We controlled the acute bleeding with porcine factor VIII or with recombinant human factor VIIa (rFVIIa). Immune tolerance was successfully achieved using a combination of corticosteroids and daily factor VIII infusions. CONCLUSIONS: Multimodal therapy aimed at inducing long-term remission, along with stop-gap measures for hemostasis, may be effective for treating children with this acquired coagulopathy.

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The management of factor VIII inhibitors in non-hemophilic patients.

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The experience of 118 **coagulation** specialists in the **treatment** of 215 non-hemophilic patients with inhibitors to factor VIII:C was recently reviewed. In approximately half these patients there were no illnesses which may have predisposed to inhibitor formation, while "auto-immune" disorders such as rheumatoid arthritis and systemic lupus erythematosus were present in 18%. Major bleeding was reported in 87% of the patients, and 22% died as a consequence of having the inhibitor. While inhibitors in a few patients, particularly those that developed in association with pregnancy, disappeared without **treatment**, most patients were given prednisone in doses of up to 2 mg/kg per day. This therapy was most effective in patients without associated disorders, but disappearance of the inhibitor in patients with rheumatoid arthritis usually occurred only when cyclophosphamide or azathioprine was added to the therapeutic regimen. Subjects with inhibitor titers in excess of 10 Bethesda Units were usually refractory to all therapeutic modalities. The management of acute bleeding episodes in the patient with an inhibitor has been the subject of a number of recent reports. Successful stratagems have included intensive plasmapheresis combined with massive **infusion** of antihemophilic factor concentrates, the use of **porcine** factor VIII concentrates, and the administration of clotting factor concentrates which bypass the locus of factor VIII participation in clotting. All of these methods expose the patient to potential serious side-effects, and the ultimate solution to the problem of the development of factor VIII inhibitors will require insights into the reasons for the production of these antibodies and measures to regulate aberrant immune processes.

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Use of **porcine** factor VIII in the management of seventeen patients with factor VIII antibodies.

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A polyelectrolyte-fractionated **porcine** factor VIII concentrate was given to 16 hemophiliacs with anti-F VIII antibodies (Ab) and to a woman with post-partum-acquired Ab during 24 courses of **treatment** including three major surgical procedures. Before **treatment**, antiporcine F VIII Ab was always lower than anti-human F VIII Ab, with a median cross reactivity of 32%. After **treatment**, the mean rise in F VIII was 1.5 U/dl/Unit **infused** /Kg b.w. and in vivo recovery was 50% of the theoretical values. Anamnestic rises in anti-**porcine** F VIII Ab (3 X the baseline titer) were seen after 9 of 22 courses of **treatment** with **porcine** F VIII only; similar rises in anti-human F VIII Ab, after 6 courses of **treatment**; median cross reactivity did not change significantly. Lower than expected increases in plasma F VIII without marked changes in Ab titers and severe thrombocytopenia occurred during surgery in two patients. **Porcine** F VIII is a rational and effective therapeutic choice for patients who have anti-human Ab titers above 10 U/ml; it can solve clinical situations that would otherwise be very difficult to manage; anamnesis is perhaps less frequent than after human F VIII; however, the incidence of thrombocytopenia, resistance and other side-effects is still higher than desirable.

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Inhibitor antibodies to factor VIII and factor IX : Management
Coagulation inhibitors
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Inhibitor antibodies directed against factor VIII or factor IX present challenges to the clinician. Fortunately, several management options are available, although each has disadvantages as well as advantages. Alloantibodies against factor VIII (which develop in 25 to 50% of children with severe **hemophilia A**, as well as in a small percentage of children with mild or moderate **hemophilia A**) may be low titer and transient or may be high titer. Most patients with high-titer problematic inhibitors now try to eliminate the inhibitor by using one of several immune tolerance induction (ITI) regimens. For **treatment** of bleeding episodes in patients who have high-titer (≥ 5 Bethesda units) inhibitors, one can use a prothrombin complex concentrate (PCC) (preferably an activated PCC (APCC)), recombinant (r) factor VIIa, or **porcine** factor VIII. The choice of product is generally dependent on the type and severity of the patient's bleeding, degree of cross-reactivity of the patient's inhibitor with **porcine** factor VIII, physician familiarity with the product, product availability, and cost. In persons with **hemophilia B**, alloantibodies occur in only 1 to 3% of severely affected individuals. However, in roughly half of those who develop inhibitors, anaphylaxis or severe allergic reactions occur on **infusion** of any type of factor IX-containing product. This phenomenon usually develops after relatively few exposures to factor IX; thus it is recommended that the first 10 to 20 **infusions** of factor IX given to children with severe **hemophilia B** be given in a setting equipped for **treatment** of shock. For **treatment** of bleeding episodes in patients with severe allergic reactions, rF VIIa is the **treatment** of choice. ITI has been less successful in **hemophilia B** patients with inhibitors than in those with **hemophilia A**, and in a subgroup of patients with severe allergic reactions who were desensitized to factor IX and then tried on ITI, results were even poorer. Additionally, several developed nephrotic syndrome while on ITI. For **hemophilia B** patients with inhibitors who do not have allergic reactions to factor IX, bleeding episodes can be **treated** with PCC or APCC or with rF VIIa. Autoantibodies directed against factor VIII are rare but can occur in a variety of settings. They occur mainly in adults, and bleeding is often severe and life threatening. Although some factor VIII autoantibodies disappear spontaneously, most require immunosuppression. Corticosteroids and cyclophosphamide are generally recommended. For **treatment** of bleeding, therapeutic options include (human) factor VIII concentrates, **porcine** factor VIII, APCC, and rFVIIa. The choice of product is generally determined by the consulting hematologist's familiarity with the product, product availability and cost, as well as response to **treatment**.

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Epsilon-aminocaproic acid inhibits the activity of factor VIII inhibitors in patients with severe haemophilia A in vivo and in vitro
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Haemophilia patients with inhibitors pose a formidable challenge for patient management. This is particularly problematic in developing countries, where **porcine** factor VIII, FEIBA, factor VIIa or immunoadsorption column are generally unavailable or unaffordable. Under these circumstances, any effective modality of affordable **treatment** is welcome. We investigated, both in vivo and in vitro, the effect of epsilon-aminocaproic acid (EACA) on the inhibitory activity of factor VIII inhibitor. It was found that in vitro EACA (final concentration 1.25-5 mg/ml) substantially inhibited the activity of the inhibitors, while the same concentration of EACA had no effect on other immunological reactions like red cell agglutination and immunofluorescence. The inhibitory action of EACA on factor VIII inhibitor was also confirmed in an improvised antigen-binding ELISA system. Further, the inhibitory activity of EACA was confirmed in 2 patients, in whom the inhibitory activity persisted for 15 min following **infusion** of EACA (100 mg/kg over 10 min). EACA was found to be even more effective in local wound application in patients of haemophilia A with inhibitors. EACA at the concentration cited did not act as an inhibitor of factor VIII inhibitor through occupancy of lysine binding sites. The inhibitory activity of EACA on factor VIII inhibitor was equally seen with recombinant factor VIII also; hence this action cannot be explained by its antifibrinolytic activity.

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Continuous **infusion** of **porcine** factor VIII in the management of patients with factor VIII inhibitors
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The effectiveness of continuous **infusion** **porcine** factor VIII (PFVIII) has been evaluated in the **treatment** of 7 consecutive patients with factor VIII(FVIII) inhibitors. Two patients had **hemophilia** A and five were nonhemophiliacs with acquired FVIII inhibitors. The median pretreatment antiporcine FVIII titre was 0.2 (range: 0-15.0) Bethesda units (BU), and the anti-human FVIII titer was 12.0 BU (range: 2.4-50.0). All patients presented with major bleeding. Patients were given a bolus dose of PFVIII followed by continuous **infusion**. Six patients also received immunosuppressive therapy. Therapeutic FVIII levels (>0.5 U/ml) were achieved in 6 of 7 patients at a median time of 12.5 hr, and then maintained with continuous **infusion** PFVIII. Six patients were **treated** for more than 7 days, and in four of these there was a decline in FVIII recovery between days 7 to 11, presumably related to a rising antibody response to PFVIII. These four patients were plasmapheresed and the three patients with autoantibodies recovered therapeutic FVIII levels but this did not occur in the patient with **hemophilia**. Thrombocytopenia developed in 4 patients at days 18 to 24, with the platelet count falling to 11 to 87 x 10⁹ /L, and the PFVIII was discontinued in 3 patients. All patients recovered from the acute bleeding events. With prolonged immunosuppressive therapy, the FVIII inhibitor disappeared in all patients with autoantibodies and there have

been no relapses after median follow-up period of 581 days. This study demonstrates that continuous infusion PFVIII is an effective therapy for patients with FVIII inhibitors, but that prolonged treatment is associated with the development of inhibitors to **porcine** FVIII and severe thrombocytopenia, which readily corrects with discontinuation of PFVIII.

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Loss of tolerance to exogenous and endogenous factor VIII in a mild **hemophilia A** patient with an Arg SUP 5 SUP 9 SUP 3 to cys mutation
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A 42-year-old patient with mild **hemophilia A** developed spontaneous muscle hematomas 1 month after intense therapy with factor VIII concentrates. Factor VIII clotting activity was less than 1% and his factor VIII inhibitor was 10 Bethesda units (BU)/mL. The titer peaked at 128 BU despite daily **infusions** of factor VIII; 1 year later, the titer was 13 BU with no spontaneous bleeding for 4 months. The plasma inhibitor was 95% neutralized by factor VIII A2 domain but less than 15% neutralized by light-chain or C2 domain. His inhibitor did not cross-react with **porcine** factor VIII and was at least 10-fold less reactive to a series of hybrid factor VIII proteins in which human residues 484-508 are replaced by the homologous **porcine** sequence (Healey et al, J Biol Chem 270:14505, 1995). The inhibitor patient's DNA encoding his A2 domain and flanking sequences showed a C-T transition predicting Arg SUP 5 SUP 9 SUP 3 to Cys. Thirteen patients from 5 unrelated families with Cys SUP 5 SUP 9 SUP 3 have not developed inhibitors. Factor VIII clotting activity from one of them was inhibited similarly to diluted normal plasma by inhibitor patient plasma. In an homologous structure, ceruloplasmin (Zaitseva et al, J Biol Inorgan Chem 1:15,1996), the residue equivalent to Arg SUP 5 SUP 9 SUP 3, is in a loop distinct from residues 484-508. On solution phase immunoprecipitation with labeled factor VIII fragments, A2, light chain, and C2 domains bound. In contrast to typical immune responses to factor VIII in patients with severe **hemophilia A**, this patient's inhibitor was almost entirely reactive with common epitopes within the A2 domain whereas by more sensitive immunoprecipitation testing antibodies to light chain epitopes were also present. Accordingly, immune responsiveness to exogenous factor VIII (antigen burden) appears to be more critical than his endogenous, hemophilic factor VIII to his developing high-titer anti-factor VIII antibodies and loss of tolerance to both native and hemophilic factor VIII proteins.

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12449631 PASCAL No.: 96-0107056
Safety profile of **porcine** factor VIII and its use as hospital and home-therapy for patients with haemophilia-A and inhibitors : the results

of an international survey
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A multicentre retrospective survey was conducted to re-assess the use of **porcine** factor VIII (HYATE :C), its side effects and the selection of patients for regular or home-therapy. 15,152,000 units of HYATE : C were used by 154 patients. The median inhibitor cross-reactivity to **porcine** VIIIC of 137 patients was 15%, 27% of patients lacking cross-reactivity. An absent, intermediate or brisk specific anti-**porcine** anamnestic response was observed in 29, 40 and 31% of patients respectively. Seven patients were **treated** on-demand as home-therapy for a median 6.2, range 1.5-13 years. 23 further patients were **treated** regularly in hospital for a median of 3, range 2-7 years. This group used 8,319,000 U of **porcine** VIIIC for 2,000 bleeding episodes. The incidence of transfusion reactions was 0.001%, 0.64% and 2.3%, for domiciliary **infusions**, **infusions** in multiply **treated** inpatients, and unselected in-patient **infusions**, respectively. The risk of reactions was dose-related. A post-**infusion** fall in platelet count was common, but usually transient and clinically insignificant. This was also dose-related ($r = -0.64$, $p = 0.002$). Marked reductions in platelet count were occasionally seen, usually with intensive replacement therapy. The relative lack of side effects observed amongst patients **treated** at home is attributable to the low, median 33 U/kg, dose used by this group. A subgroup of inhibitor patients, identifiable by their absent or modest anamnestic response to **porcine** factor VIII may be **treated** regularly and safely with this product in small doses,

human fVIIIa is unstable relative to porcine fVIIIa during the coagulation assay

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ADENOVIRUS--MEDIATED DELIVERY OF NOVEL FACTOR VIII

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SUMMARY: Factor VIII is the plasma protein that is functionally deficient in the clinical bleeding disorder hemophilia A. Patients require frequent infusions of factor VIII in order to maintain hemostasis. Factor VIII is synthesized in the hepatocyte and is secreted into the circulation where it is stabilized by non-covalent interactions with von Willebrand factor (vWF). Isolation of the factor VIII gene identified its domain structure of A1-A2-B-A3-C1-C2 and enabled production of recombinant-derived factor VIII. Recombinant-derived factor VIII has minimized potential therapeutic complications associated with plasma-derived factor VIII, although significant limitations remain. Thus, the ultimate treatment for Hemophilia A would be a genetic cure for the disease. However, important questions need to be answered before gene therapy for hemophilia A becomes a reality. The proposed studies focus on three fundamental aspects that regulate factor VIII expression and activity. First, factor VIII expression in cultured mammalian cells is limited due to both inefficient mRNA expression and protein secretion. The newly synthesized factor VIII is retained in the lumen of the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) in a complex with the immunoglobulin binding protein BiP and is inefficiently secreted. Recent results indicate that the limited factor VIII mRNA accumulation is coupled with factor VIII protein synthesis. The proposed studies will develop a hepatocyte-targeted adenoviral-based factor VIII gene delivery system to elucidate if similar limitations in factor VIII expression occur in vivo. Second, in the circulation, the ratio of vWF to factor VIII is tightly maintained at 50:1, although the mechanism responsible is not understood. We will identify the molecular mechanisms by which vWF regulates factor VIII levels using vWF-'knock-out' and transgenic mice. Finally, factor VIII activity is regulated by proteolytic activation and inactivation. The inactivation of factor VIII in vitro results from dissociation of the A2-domain peptide. Porcine factor VIII has increased specific activity and reduced A2-domain dissociation compared to human factor VIII. We have engineered a novel porcine/human hybrid factor VIII that has increased in vitro procoagulant activity. We propose to evaluate the hemostatic efficacy of this molecule in a hemophiliac dog model. The proposed studies will provide important insight into mechanisms that regulate factor VIII expression and activity in vitro and in vivo and the information obtained will be essential in

manipulation, lack of potential contamination with human pathogens, conservation of eukaryotic cell machinery mediating protein modification, and low cost of biomass production. Tobacco has been used as our initial transgenic system because Agrobacterium-mediated transformation is highly efficient, prolific seed production greatly facilitates biomass scale-up, and development of new "health-positive" uses for tobacco has significant regional support. We have targeted bioproduction of complex recombinant human proteins with commercial potential as human pharmaceuticals. Human protein C (hPC), a highly processed serum protease of the coagulation/anticoagulation cascade, was produced at low levels in transgenic tobacco leaves. Analogous to its processing in mammalian systems, tobacco-synthesized hPC appears to undergo multiple proteolytic cleavages, disulfide bond formation, and N-linked glycosylation. Although tobacco-derived hPC has not yet been tested for all posttranslational modifications or for enzymatic (anticoagulation) activity, these results are promising and suggest considerable conservation of protein processing machinery between plants and animals. CropTech researchers have also produced the human lysosomal enzyme glucocerebrosidase (hGC) in transgenic tobacco. This glycoprotein has significant commercial potential as replacement therapy in patients with Gaucher's disease. Regular intravenous administration of modified glucocerebrosidase, derived from human placenta or CHO cells, has proven highly effective in reducing disease manifestations in patients with Gaucher's disease. However, the enzyme is expensive (dubbed the "world's most expensive drug" by the media), making it a dramatic model for evaluating the potential of plants to provide a safe, low-cost source of bioactive human enzymes. Transgenic tobacco plants were generated that contained the human glucocerebrosidase cDNA under the control of an inducible plant promoter. hGC expression was demonstrated in plant extracts by enzyme activity assay and immunologic cross-reactivity with anti-hGC antibodies. Tobacco-synthesized hGC comigrates with human placental-derived hGC during electrophoretic separations, is glycosylated, and, most significantly, is enzymatically active. Although expression levels vary depending on transformant and induction protocol, hGC production of > 1 mg/g fresh weight of leaf tissue has been attained in crude extracts. Our studies provide strong support for the utilization of tobacco for high-level production of active hGC for purification and eventual therapeutic use at potentially much reduced costs. Furthermore, this technology should be directly adaptable to the production of a variety of other complex human proteins of biologic and pharmaceutical interest.

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Three-dimensional structure of human protein kinase C interacting protein 1, a member of the HIT family of proteins.

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The three-dimensional structure of protein kinase C interacting protein 1 (PKCI-1) has been solved to high resolution by x-ray crystallography using single isomorphous replacement with anomalous scattering. The gene encoding human PKCI-1 was cloned from a cDNA library by using a partial sequence obtained from interactions identified in the yeast two-hybrid system between PKCI-1 and the regulatory domain of

protein kinase C-beta. The PKCI-1 protein was expressed in *Pichia pastoris* as a dimer of two 13.7-kDa polypeptides. PKCI-1 is a member of the HIT family of proteins, shown by sequence identity to be conserved in a broad range of organisms including mycoplasma, plants, and humans. Despite the ubiquity of this protein sequence in nature, no distinct function has been shown for the protein product in vitro or in vivo. The PKCI-1 protomer has an alpha+beta meander fold containing a five-stranded antiparallel sheet and two helices. Two protomers come together to form a 10-stranded antiparallel sheet with extensive contacts between a helix and carboxy terminal amino acids of a protomer with the corresponding amino acids in the other protomer. PKCI-1 has been shown to interact specifically with zinc. The three-dimensional structure has been solved in the presence and absence of zinc and in two crystal forms. The structure of human PKCI-1 provides a model of this family of proteins which suggests a stable fold conserved throughout nature.

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Production of correctly processed human serum albumin in transgenic plants.

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We have used a modified CaMV 35S promoter to direct the expression of chimaeric genes encoding human serum albumin (HSA) in transgenic potato and tobacco plants. To secrete the protein, either the human prepro-sequence or the signal sequence from the extracellular tobacco protein PR-S was used. We demonstrate secretion of HSA with both types of signal sequences in transgenic leaf tissue and in suspension cultures. HSA produced in transgenic potato plants was purified to chromatographic homogeneity. N-terminal amino acid sequence analysis revealed that the processing of the precursor protein was dependent on the type of signal sequence. Expression of the human preproHSA gene lead to partial processing of the precursor and secretion of proHSA. Fusion of HSA to the plant PR-S presequence resulted in cleavage of the presequence at its natural site and secretion of correctly processed HSA that is indistinguishable from the authentic human protein.

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Molecular cloning and functional expression of a human cDNA encoding translation initiation factor 6.

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ABSTRACT: Eukaryotic translation initiation factor 6 (eIF6) binds to the 60S ribosomal subunit and prevents its association with the 40S ribosomal subunit. In this paper, we devised a procedure for purifying eIF6 from rabbit reticulocyte lysates and immunochemically characterized the **protein** by using antibodies isolated from egg yolks of laying hens immunized with rabbit eIF6. By using these monospecific antibodies, a 1.096-kb **human** cDNA that encodes an eIF6 of 245 amino acids (calculated Mr 26,558) has been cloned and **expressed** in *Escherichia coli*. The purified **recombinant human protein** exhibits biochemical properties that are similar to eIF6 isolated from mammalian cell extracts. Database searches identified amino acid sequences from *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Drosophila*, and the nematode *Caenorhabditis elegans* with significant identity to the deduced amino acid sequence of **human** eIF6, suggesting the presence of homologues of **human** eIF6 in these organisms.

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PP2C-gamma: A **human protein** phosphatase with a unique acidic domain.

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ABSTRACT: We have cloned a novel cDNA from **human** skeletal muscle which encodes a **protein** phosphatase with a unique acidic domain. It is 34% identical to mammalian PP2C-alpha and PP2C-beta, and we call it PP2C-gamma. It more closely resembles PP2Cs from *Paramecium tetraurelia* and *Schizosaccharomyces pombe* than mammalian PP2Cs. Northern blot analysis shows that PP2C-gamma is widely **expressed**, and is most abundant in testis, skeletal muscle, and heart. Like known PP2Cs, **recombinant** PP2C-gamma requires Mg-2+ or Mn-2+ for activity. Unlike any other known phosphatase, PP2C-gamma has a highly acidic domain: 75% of the 54 residues are glutamate or aspartate.

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11069725 BIOSIS NO.: 199799690870
Molecular cloning and functional **expression** of a **human** cDNA encoding the antimutator enzyme 8-hydroxyguanine-DNA glycosylase.

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ABSTRACT: The major mutagenic base lesion in DNA caused by exposure to reactive oxygen species is 8-hydroxyguanine (8-oxo-7,8-dihydroguanine). In bacteria and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, this damaged base is excised by a DNA glycosylase with an associated lyase activity for chain cleavage. We have cloned, sequenced, and **expressed** a **human** cDNA with partial sequence homology to the relevant yeast gene. The encoded 47-kDa **human** enzyme releases free 8-hydroxyguanine from oxidized DNA and introduces a chain break in a double-stranded oligonucleotide specifically at an 8-hydroxyguanine residue base paired with cytosine. **Expression** of the **human protein** in a DNA repair-deficient *E. coli* mutM mutY strain partly suppresses its spontaneous mutator phenotype. The gene encoding the **human** enzyme maps to chromosome 3p25. These results show that **human** cells have an enzyme that can initiate base excision repair at mutagenic DNA lesions caused by active oxygen.

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10987993 BIOSIS NO.: 199799609138
Wip1, a novel **human protein** phosphatase that is induced in response to ionizing radiation in a p53-dependent manner.
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ABSTRACT: Exposure of mammalian cells to ionizing radiation (IR) induces a complex array of cellular responses including cell cycle arrest and/or apoptosis. IR-induced G-1 arrest has been shown to depend on the presence of the tumor suppressor p53, which acts as a transcriptional activator of several genes. p53 also plays a role in the induction of apoptosis in response to DNA damage, and this pathway can be activated by both transcription-dependent and -independent mechanisms. Here we report the identification of a novel transcript whose **expression** is induced in response to IR in a p53-dependent manner, and that shows homology to the type 2C **protein** phosphatases. We have named this novel gene, wip1. In vitro, **recombinant** Wip1 displayed characteristics of a type 2C phosphatase, including Mg-2+ dependence and relative insensitivity to okadaic acid. Studies performed in several cell lines revealed that wip1 accumulation following IR correlates with the presence of wild-type p53. The accumulation of wip1 mRNA following IR was rapid and transient, and the **protein** was localized to the nucleus. Similar to waf1, ectopic **expression** of wip1 in **human** cells suppressed colony formation. These results suggest that Wip1 might contribute to growth inhibitory pathways activated in response to DNA damage in a p53-dependent manner.

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10409352 BIOSIS NO.: 199699030497

Expression of recombinant human protein disulfide isomerase in the yeast Pichia pastoris.

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A receptor for the import of **proteins** into **human** mitochondria.

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ABSTRACT: We have characterised a 16.3-kDa **human protein** that functions as a receptor for the import of preproteins into mitochondria. Based on amino acid sequence alignments, the **protein** (hMas20p) is 41% similar to Mas20p (20-kDa mitochondrial assembly **protein**) from yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* and 38% similar to MOM19 (19-kDa mitochondrial outer-membrane **protein**) from *Neurospora crassa*. hMas20p has a putative N-terminal transmembrane sequence of 29 amino acids and an acidic C-terminus. A 13-kDa fragment (des-(1-29)-hMas20p), which lacks the 29-amino-acid putative N-terminal transmembrane domain, is soluble when **expressed** in *Escherichia coli*. Antibodies produced against this domain crossreacted with a **protein** of 16 kDa in outer membranes of mitochondria from rat liver and inhibited import of **protein** into isolated mitochondria from rat liver. In addition, the **recombinant** soluble domain folds into a functional structure as it competes with hMas20p on the mitochondrial surface for precursor binding, confirming the functional role of hMas20p in the import of preproteins into mitochondria.

1996

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08181439 BIOSIS NO.: 000094005212

HUMANIZATION OF IMMUNOTOXINS

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JOURNAL: PROC NATL ACAD SCI U S A 89 (8). 1992. 3165-3169. 1992
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United States of America
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RECORD TYPE: Abstract
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

ABSTRACT: The construction and **expression** of a chimeric gene encoding a mouse/**human** antibody to the **human** transferrin receptor fused to the gene for angiogenin, a **human** homolog of pancreatic RNase, are described. F(ab')₂-like antibody-enzyme fusions were prepared by linking the gene for **human** angiogenin to a chimeric anti-transferrin receptor heavy chain gene. The antibody-enzyme fusion gene was introduced into a transfectoma that secretes the chimeric light chain of the same antibody, and cell lines were cloned that synthesize and secrete the antibody-enzyme fusion **protein** of the expected size at a concentration of 1-5 ng/ml. Culture supernatants from clones secreting the fusion **protein** caused inhibition of growth and **protein** synthesis of K562 cells that **express** the **human** transferrin receptor but not toward a non-**human**-derived cell line that lacks this receptor. Whereas excess antibody to the same receptor did not itself inhibit **protein** synthesis, it was able to completely prevent the **protein** synthesis inhibition caused by the fusion **protein**. These results indicate that the cytotoxicity is due to a transferrin receptor-mediated mechanism involving the angiogenin portion of the fusion **protein** and demonstrate the feasibility of constructing **recombinant** antibody-RNase molecules capable of killing tumor cells bearing the transferrin receptor. The significance of the acquired cytotoxicity of a mouse/**human** chimeric antibody linked to a **human protein** may bear importantly in **human** therapeutic strategies that use mouse antibody linked to toxins from **plants** or bacteria to target tumor cells. It is expected that the **humanization** of immunotoxins will lead to less toxicity and immunogenicity than currently available reagents.

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ENDOPROTEOLYTIC PROCESSING OF THE **HUMAN PROTEIN C** PRECURSOR BY
THE YEAST KEX2 ENDOPEPTIDASE COEXPRESSED IN MAMMALIAN CELLS
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FULL JOURNAL NAME: Biochemistry
CODEN: BICHA
RECORD TYPE: Abstract
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

ABSTRACT: The **human protein C** precursor undergoes extensive co- and posttranslational modification during its biosynthesis in the liver. These modifications include glycosylation, .gamma.-carboxylation, and .beta.-hydroxylation of specific amino acids and endoproteolytic processing to remove the pre- and propeptides as well as the pair of basic amino acids which connect the light and heavy chains in the precursor. Previous studies with a **recombinant** mammalian **expression** system have indicated that the endopeptidase in several mammalian cell types which recognizes and cleaves this dibasic site has a substrate specificity for sites which also include a basic amino acid in the -4 position (Foster et al., 1990). Since the **human**

protein C precursor has His154 in the -4 position, it is poorly and incompletely cleaved in HK and several other mammalian cell lines and also apparently secreted from the liver as a mixed population of mature two-chain and precursor one-chain molecules. In the present study, a mammalian **expression** system has been used to study the effect of coexpressing the **protein** C precursor together with the yeast Kex2 endopeptidase which is known to recognize and process dibasic pairs within peptide precursors in yeast. Coexpression of the KEX2 gene resulted in complete conversion of the **protein** C precursor to the mature two-chain form. Amino-terminal sequencing of the cleavage products has indicated that the cleavage occurs in the correct location and that this site is preferentially recognized by the yeast endopeptidase within the context of the mammalian cell secretory pathway.

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FUNCTIONAL DOMAINS AND UPSTREAM ACTIVATION PROPERTIES OF CLONED HUMAN

TATA BINDING **PROTEIN**

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RECORD TYPE: Abstract

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

ABSTRACT: The TATA binding **protein**, TFIID, plays a central role in the initiation of eukaryotic mRNA synthesis. Here, we present a **human** cDNA clone for this factor. Comparison of its predicted **protein** sequence with those from Drosophila and yeast reveals a highly conserved carboxyl-terminal 180 amino acids. By contrast, the amino-terminal region of TFIID has diverged in both sequence and length. A striking feature of the **human protein** is a stretch of 38 glutamine residues in the NH2-terminal region. **Expression** of **human** TFIID in both Escherichia coli and HeLa cells produces a **protein** that binds specifically to a TATA box and promotes basal transcription; the conserved COOH-terminal portion of the **protein** is sufficient for both of these activities. **Recombinant** TFIID forms a stable complex on a TATA box either alone or in combination with either of the general transcription factors, TFIIA or TFIIB. Full-length **recombinant** TFIID is able to support Sp1 activated transcription in a TFIID-depleted nuclear extract, while a deletion of the NH2-terminal half of the **protein** is not. These results indicate the importance of the NH2-terminal region for upstream activation functions and suggest that additional factors (co-activators) are required for mediating interactions with specific regulators.

1990

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EXPRESSION PURIFICATION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF HUMAN FACTOR

XIII IN SACCHAROMYCES-CEREVISIAE

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ABSTRACT: Factor XIII is the terminal enzyme of the clotting cascade. A cDNA sequence encoding **human** placental factor XIII was **expressed** in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* with the yeast ADH2-4c promoter. **Expression** levels were a strong function of the noncoding flanking DNA content of the construction. When the terminal 3'-flanking noncoding DNA was removed, **expression** increased approximately 50-fold. The **protein** was produced in quantity by high-yield fermentation and purified to homogeneity. The **recombinant protein** was cleaved by thrombin at the same activation site as purified **human** placental FXIII and exhibited 100% enzymatic activity. At high thrombin concentrations rFXIIIa was cleaved into inactive 54- and 25-kDa polypeptides. The identity of these cleavage sites and the blocked N-terminus to that of the **human protein** was revealed by amino acid microsequencing. A time course of thrombin activation was performed and the relative distribution of the thrombin-cleaved subunits to the uncleaved zymogen subunits determined; the results were consistent with the half of the sites catalytic model for transglutaminase activity proposed by Chung et al. (Chung, S. I., Lewis, M. S., & Folk, J. E. (1974) J. Biol. Chem. 249, 940-950, 1974) and Hornyak et al. (Hornyak, T. J., Bishop, P. D., & Shafer, J. A. (1989) Biochemistry 28, 7326-7332). Equilibrium and velocity sedimentation analysis indicated that rFXIII exists as a 166-kDa nondissociating dimer that behaves as a compact particle of 8.02 S. Thus, all of the properties of rFXIII thus far examined are consistent with those reported for **human** platelet and placental FXIII. The availability of the **recombinant human proteins** for therapeutic purposes provides a low-risk alternative to material purified from **human** sources.

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02407176 BIOSIS NO.: 000065064219
GENETIC ENGINEERING FORMATION OF **RECOMBINANT** DNA IN-VITRO
AUTHOR: THOMAS R
JOURNAL: BULL CL SCI ACAD R BELG 5E SER 63 (3). 1977 (RECD 1978) 248-252.

1977
FULL JOURNAL NAME: Bulletin de la Classe des Sciences Academie Royale de Belgique 5E Serie
CODEN: BCSAA
RECORD TYPE: Abstract
LANGUAGE: FRENCH

ABSTRACT: A general review of the status of genetic engineering is presented. Discussion includes recombination as a natural phenomenon, its mechanisms, the effect of the Mu bacteriophage in vivo and recent methods of in vitro recombination among dissimilar species. The role of ligase, recombination experiments involving genes from *Xenopus* and mammalian globin and recombination between bacterial plasmids and superior organisms are discussed. Possible problems of **expression** of foreign DNA in hybridized cells and hazards associated with such work are mentioned. Applications of genetic engineering, such as synthesis of **human proteins** of therapeutic interest, synthesis of vaccines

and the creation of bacteria-free N₂-fixing **plants** are discussed.
Regulation of safety standards by national and international agencies is
also discussed.

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05420981 Genuine Article#: VX339 Number of References: 46
Title: MAPPING OF THE ENTOMOCIDAL FRAGMENT OF SPODOPTERA-SPECIFIC
BACILLUS-THURINGIENSIS TOXIN CRYIC (Abstract Available)
Author(s): STRIZHOV N; KELLER M; KONEZKALMAN Z; REGEV A; SNEH B; SCHELL J;
KONCZ C; ZILBERSTEIN A
Corporate Source: MAX PLANCK INST ZUCHTUNGSFORSCH,CARL VON LINNE WEG
10/D-50829 COLOGNE//GERMANY//; TEL AVIV UNIV,GEORGE S WISE FAC LIFE
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Abstract: Insecticidal CryI protoxins of *Bacillus thuringiensis* are
activated by proteolysis in the midgut of insects. A conservation of
proteolytic cleavage sites in the CryI **proteins** facilitates the
expression of active toxins in transgenic **plants** to obtain
protection from various insects. However, the engineering of CryIC
toxins has, thus far, failed to yield applicable resistance to
armyworms of *Spodoptera* species representing common insect pests
worldwide. To improve the production of **recombinant** CryIC toxins,
we established a CryIC consensus sequence by comparative analysis of
three cryIC genes and tested the stability and protease sensitivity of
truncated CryIC toxins in *Escherichia coli* and in vitro. In contrast to
previous data, the boundaries of trypsin-resistant CryIC core toxin
were mapped to amino acid residues 128 and R627. Proteolysis of the
truncated CryIC **proteins** showed that *Spodoptera* midgut proteases
may further shorten the C-terminus of CryIC toxin to residue A615.
However, C-terminal truncation of CryIC to residue L614, and a mutation
causing amino acid replacement I610T, abolished the insecticidal
activity of CryIC toxin to *S. littoralis* larvae, as well as its
resistance to trypsin and *Spodoptera* midgut proteases. Because no CryIC
toxin carrying a proteolytically processed N-terminus could be stably
expressed in bacteria, our data indicate that, in contrast to
other CryI proteins, an entomocidal fragment located between amino acid
positions 1 and 627 is required for stable production of
recombinant CryIC toxins.

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05404511 Genuine Article#: VW528 Number of References: 50
Title: MOLECULAR ANALYSIS OF RNA-POLYMERASE ALPHA-SUBUNIT GENE FROM
STREPTOMYCES-COELICOLOR A3(2) (Abstract Available)
Author(s): CHO EJ; BAE JB; KANG JG; ROE JH
Corporate Source: HARVARD UNIV,SCH MED,DEPT BIOL CHEM & MOL
PHARMACOL/BOSTON//MA/02115; SEOUL NATL UNIV,COLL NAT SCI,DEPT
MICROBIOL/SEOUL 151742//SOUTH KOREA//; SEOUL NATL UNIV,COLL NAT SCI,RES
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Abstract: The rpoA gene, encoding the alpha subunit of RNA polymerase, was

cloned from *Streptomyces coelicolor* A3(2). It is preceded by rpsK and followed by rpIQ, encoding ribosomal **proteins** S11 and S7, respectively, similar to the gene order in *Bacillus subtilis*. The rpoA gene specifies a **protein** of 339 amino acids with deduced molecular mass of 36 510 Da, exhibiting 64.3 and 70.7% similarity over its entire length to *Escherichia coli* and *B. subtilis* alpha subunits, respectively. Using T7 **expression** system, we overexpressed the *S. coelicolor* alpha **protein** in *E. coli*. A small fraction of this **protein** was found to be assembled into *E. coli* RNA polymerase. Antibody against *S. coelicolor* a **protein** crossreacted with that of *B. subtilis* more than with the *E. coli* alpha subunit. The ability of **recombinant a protein** to assemble beta and beta' subunits into core enzyme in vitro was examined by measuring the core enzyme activity. Maximal reconstitution was obtained at alpha(2):beta+beta' ratio of 1:2.3, indicating that the **recombinant ex protein** is fully functional for subunit assembly. Similar results were also obtained for natural alpha **protein**. Limited proteolysis with endoprotease Glu-C revealed that *S. coelicolor* alpha contains a tightly folded N-terminal domain and the C-terminal region is more protease-sensitive than that of *E. coli* alpha.

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05364619 Genuine Article#: VT975 Number of References: 51
 Title: MOLECULAR CHARACTERIZATION OF POTATO FUMARATE HYDRATASE AND
 FUNCTIONAL **EXPRESSION** IN *ESCHERICHIA-COLI* (Abstract Available)
 Author(s): NAST G; MULLERROBER B
 Corporate Source: MAX PLANCK INST MOL PFLANZENPHYSIOL,MPI,MOPP,KARL
 LIEBKNECHT STR 25,HAUS 20/D-14476 GOLM POTSDAM//GERMANY//; INST GENBIOL
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 Journal: PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, 1996, V112, N3 (NOV), P1219-1227
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Language: ENGLISH Document Type: ARTICLE
 Abstract: The tricarboxylic acid cycle enzyme fumarase (fumarate hydratase; EC 4.2.1.2) catalyzes the reversible hydration of fumarate to L-malate. We report the molecular cloning of a cDNA (StFum-1) that encodes fumarase from potato (*Solanum tuberosum* L.). RNA blot analysis demonstrated that StFum-1 is most strongly **expressed** in flowers, immature leaves, and tubers. The deduced **protein** contains a typical mitochondrial targeting peptide and has a calculated molecular mass of 50.1 kD (processed form). Potato fumarase complemented a fumarase-deficient *Escherichia coli* mutation for growth on minimal medium that contains acetate or fumarate as the sole carbon source, indicating that functional **plant protein** was produced in the bacterium. Antiserum raised against the **recombinant plant** enzyme recognized a 50-kD **protein** in wild-type but not in StFum-1 antisense **plants**, indicating specificity of the immunoreaction. A **protein** of identical size was also detected in isolated potato tuber mitochondria. Although elevated activity of fumarase was previously reported for guard cells (as compared with mesophyll cells), additional screening and genomic hybridization data reported here do not support the hypothesis that a second fumarase gene is **expressed** in potato guard cells.

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05343470 Genuine Article#: VT052 Number of References: 55
 Title: PINORESINOL/(+)-LARICIREBINOL REDUCTASE FROM FORSYTHIA-INTERMEDIA -
PROTEIN-PURIFICATION, CDNA CLONING, HETEROLOGOUS EXPRESSION

AND COMPARISON TO ISOFLAVONE REDUCTASE (Abstract Available)
Author(s): DINKOVAKOSTOVA; GANG DR; DAVIN LB; BEDGAR CHU A; LEWIS NG
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Journal: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, 1996, V271, N46 (NOV 15), P
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Abstract: Lignans are a widely distributed class of natural products, whose functions and distribution suggest that they are one of the earliest forms of defense to have evolved in vascular **plants**; some, such as podophyllotoxin and enterodiol, have important roles in cancer chemotherapy and prevention, respectively.

Entry into lignan enzymology has been gained by the similar to 3000-fold purification of two isoforms of (+)-pinoresinol/(+)-lariciresinol reductase, a pivotal branchpoint enzyme in lignan biosynthesis. Both have comparable (similar to 34.9 kDa) molecular mass and kinetic (V-max/K-m) properties and catalyze sequential, NADPH-dependent, stereospecific, hydride transfers where the incoming hydride takes up the pro-R position.

The gene encoding (+)-pinoresinol/(+)-lariciresinol reductase has been cloned and the **recombinant protein** heterologously **expressed** as a functional beta-galactosidase fusion **protein**. Its amino acid sequence reveals a strong homology to isoflavone reductase, a key branchpoint enzyme in isoflavonoid metabolism and primarily found in the Fabaceae (angiosperms). This is of great evolutionary significance since both lignans and isoflavonoids have comparable **plant** defense properties, as well as similar roles as phytoestrogens. Given that lignans are widespread from primitive **plants** onwards, whereas the isoflavone reductase-derived isoflavonoids are mainly restricted to the Fabaceae, it is tempting to speculate that this branch of the isoflavonoid pathway arose via evolutionary divergence from that giving the lignans.

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05343127 Genuine Article#: VR398 Number of References: 17
Title: CLONING AND SEQUENCING OF A DEVELOPMENTALLY-REGULATED AVIAN
MESSENGER-RNA CONTAINING THE LEA MOTIF FOUND IN **PLANT** SEED
PROTEINS (Abstract Available)
Author(s): NIU S; ANTIN PB; MORKIN E
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Abstract: We report the cloning of a bromodeoxyuridine (BrdU)-sensitive transcript of 918 bp from an immortalized quail heart cell line containing an open reading frame (ORF) of 215 amino acids (aa) (approximate to 23 kDa). Analysis of the secondary structure predicts two amphipathic alpha-helices with oppositely oriented amphipathic surfaces at the C-terminus of the **protein**. Each of the helices contains an LEA (late embryogenesis abundant) consensus sequence (A/TAEKAK/RETKD) which has been previously described only in a group of **plant** seed-specific **proteins**. Temporal and spatial distribution patterns of the transcript during chick embryo development were examined by whole-mount in situ hybridization and Northern blot analysis. At H&H (Hamburger and Hamilton, 1951) stages 11-14, the

message was **expressed** strongly in blood islands in the area opaca. At day 5, strong signals were found in the liver primordia, mesonephrons, and nephric duct. Frozen sections of whole mount-stained embryonic liver demonstrated that the message was restricted to developing blood cells. The **expression** pattern of this transcript suggests that its **protein** product may be involved in hematopoiesis during avian development.

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05315808 Genuine Article#: VP542 Number of References: 19
Title: CLONING OF A CDNA-ENCODING A DEVELOPMENTALLY-REGULATED 22 KDA POLYPEPTIDE FROM TOBACCO LEAF PLASMA-MEMBRANE (Abstract Available)
Author(s): GANTET P; MASSON F; DOMERGUE O; MARQUISMENTION M; BAUW G; INZE D ; ROSSIGNOL M; DELASERVE BT
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Journal: BIOCHEMISTRY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY INTERNATIONAL, 1996, V40 , N3 (OCT), P469-477
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Abstract: A polypeptide doublet (P18-P19, ca 22 kDa, pI 4.5) has been shown to accumulate in tobacco leaf plasma membrane in a development-dependent way, under constant environmental conditions. P18 and P19 were purified by 2D-PAGE and microsequenced. Microsequences revealed only small differences between the two polypeptides. A PCR-based cloning strategy identified a cDNA displaying a 591 bp ORF. The encoded polypeptide contained P19 specific microsequences. It was **expressed** in E. coli and a specific rabbit antiserum was raised. Western-blots confirmed its identification as P19. The accumulation pattern of hybridizable mRNA around the floral induction period was similar to that of P18 and P19. Searching of databases revealed no significant hits except unidentified **plant** ESTs. P18 and P19 are proposed as the first example of **plant**-specific and developmentally regulated plasma membrane **proteins**.

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Title: THE HYDROGENASE GENE-CLUSTER OF RHIZOBIUM-LEGUMINOSARUM BV. VICIAE CONTAINS AN ADDITIONAL GENE (HYPX), WHICH ENCODES A **PROTEIN** WITH SEQUENCE SIMILARITY TO THE N-10-FORMYLTETRAHYDRAFOLE-DEPENDENT ENZYME FAMILY AND IS REQUIRED FOR NICKEL-DEPENDENT HYDROGENASE PROCESSING AND ACTIVITY (Abstract Available)
Author(s): REY L; FERNANDEZ D; BRITO B; HERNANDO Y; PALACIOS JM; IMPERIAL J ; RUIZARGUESO T
Corporate Source: UNIV POLITECN MADRID,ESCUELA TECN SUPER INGN AGRON,MICROBIOL LAB/E-28040 MADRID//SPAIN/; UNIV POLITECN MADRID,ESCUELA TECN SUPER INGN AGRON,MICROBIOL LAB/E-28040 MADRID//SPAIN/; CSIC/E-28040 MADRID//SPAIN/
Journal: MOLECULAR & GENERAL GENETICS, 1996, V252, N3 (SEP 13), P 237-248
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Language: ENGLISH Document Type: ARTICLE
Abstract: Plasmid pAL618 contains the genetic determinants for Hz uptake (hup) from Rhizobium leguminosarum bv. viciae, including a cluster of 17 genes named hupSLCDEFGHIJK-hypABFCDE. A 1.7-kb segment of insert DNA

located downstream of *hypE* has now been sequenced, thus completing the sequence of the 204 bp insert DNA in plasmid pAL61. An open reading frame (designated *hypX*) encoding a **protein** with a calculated M(r) of 62 300 that exhibits extensive sequence similarity with HoxX from *Alcaligenes eutrophus* (52% identity) and *Bradyrhizobium japonicum* (57% identity) was identified 10 bp downstream of *hypE*. Nodule bacteroids produced by *hypX* mutants in pea (*Pisum sativum* L.) **plants** grown at optimal nickel concentrations (100 μ M) for hydrogenase **expression**, exhibited less than 5% of the wild-type levels of hydrogenase activity. These bacteroids contained wild-type levels of mRNA from hydrogenase structural genes (*hupSL*) but accumulated large amounts of the immature form of HupL **protein**. The Hup-deficient mutants were complemented for normal hydrogenase activity and nickel-dependent maturation of HupL by a *hypX* gene provided in trans. From **expression** analysis of *hypX-lacZ* fusion genes, it appears that *hypX* gene is transcribed from the FnrN-dependent *hyp* promoter, thus placing *hypX* in the *hyp* operon (*hypBFCDEX*). Comparisons of the *HypX/HoxX* sequences with those in databases provided unexpected insights into their function in hydrogenase synthesis. Similarities were restricted to two distinct regions in the *HypX/HoxX* sequences. Region I, corresponding to a sequence conserved in N-10-formyltetrahydrofolate-dependent enzymes involved in transferring one-carbon units (C-1), was located in the N-terminal half of the **protein**, whereas region II, corresponding to a sequence conserved in enzymes of the enoyl-CoA hydratase/isomerase family, was located in the C-terminal half. These similarities strongly suggest that *HypX/HoxX* have dual functions: binding of the C-1 donor N-10-formyltetrahydrofolate and transfer of the C-1 to an unknown substrate, and catalysis of a reaction involving polarization of the C=O bond of an X-CO-S-CoA substrate. These results also suggest the involvement of a small organic molecule, possibly synthesized with the participation of an X-CO-S-CoA precursor and of formyl groups, in the synthesis of the metal-containing active centre of hydrogenase.

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05040221 Genuine Article#: TL363 Number of References: 69
 Title: SEQUENCE AND **EXPRESSION** ANALYSIS OF THE HRPB PATHOGENICITY
 OPERON OF XANTHOMONAS-CAMPESTRIS PV VESICATORIA WHICH ENCODES 8
PROTEINS WITH SIMILARITY TO COMPONENTS OF THE HRP, YSC, SPA, AND
 FLI SECRETION SYSTEMS (Abstract Available)

Author(s): FENSELAU S; BONAS U

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Abstract: In this paper we describe the molecular characterization of *hrpB*, the largest operon in the *Xanthomonas campestris* pv. *vesicatoria* *hrp* cluster. The *hrpB* region encompasses 6 kb and encodes eight putative **proteins**, seven of which were **expressed** in *Escherichia coli*. The HrpB3 **protein** is the only one carrying a signal peptide sequence at the N-terminus and is a putative lipoprotein localized in the outer membrane of *X. campestris* pv. *vesicatoria*. The HrpB4 and HrpB8 **proteins** contain one and five putative transmembrane domains, respectively, and are most likely associated with the inner membrane. The HrpB3, HrpB5, HrpB6, and HrpB8 **proteins** show sequence similarity to putative components of different type III **protein** secretion pathways in bacteria. Examples include Hrp

proteins from other **plant** pathogens, YscJ, YscN, YscL, and YscT of Yersinia spp. and MxiJ, Spa47, and Spa29 of Yersinia flexneri. The transcription start site and the hrpB promoter was identified. The minimal hrpB promoter region of 90 bp contains a novel sequence motif, the PIP-box, which might play a role in transcription activation of the hrpB operon and possibly other **plant**-induced genes of X. campestris pv. vesicatoria.

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05019951 Genuine Article#: UZ876 Number of References: 26
Title: A NOVEL AMIDOHYDROLASE GENE FROM BACILLUS-SUBTILIS CLONING -
DNA-SEQUENCE ANALYSIS AND MAP POSITION OF AMHX (Abstract Available)
Author(s): KEMPF B; BREMER E
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Journal: FEMS MICROBIOLOGY LETTERS, 1996, V141, N2-3 (AUG 1), P
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Abstract: The nucleotide sequence of a new Bacillus subtilis gene (amhX) was determined that encodes a **protein** (AmhX) with strong sequence identity to amidohydrolases from both **plant** and bacterial species and a carboxypeptidase from the archaeon Sulfolobus sulfataricus. The amhX gene encodes a hydrophilic polypeptide of 383 amino acids with a molecular mass of 41.5 kDa. The amhX gene was overexpressed in E. coli by using the T7 RNA polymerase/promoter system and the transcription initiation sites for the amhX mRNAs in B. subtilis were determined by primer extension analysis. Chromosomal amhX mutations were constructed by marker replacement and the amhX gene was positioned at 25 degrees on the genetic and physical map of the B. subtilis chromosome.

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04826325 Genuine Article#: UK843 Number of References: 28
Title: A CHERRY **PROTEIN** AND ITS GENE, ABUNDANTLY **EXPRESSED** IN
RIPENING FRUIT, HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS THAUMATIN-LIKE (Abstract Available)
Author(s): FILSLYCAON BR; WIERSMA PA; EASTWELL KC; SAUTIERE P
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Journal: PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, 1996, V111, N1 (MAY), P269-273
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Abstract: A 29-kD polypeptide is the most abundant soluble **protein** in ripe cherry fruit (Prunus avium L); accumulation begins at the onset of ripening as the fruit turns from yellow to red. This **protein** was extracted from ripe cherries and purified by size-exclusion and ion-exchange chromatography. Antibodies to the purified **protein** were used to screen a cDNA library from ripe cherries. Numerous **recombinant** plaques reacted positively with the antibodies; the DNA sequence of representative clones encoded a polypeptide of 245 amino acid residues. A signal peptide was indicated, and the predicted mature **protein** corresponded to the purified **protein** in size (23.3 kD, by mass spectrometry) and isoelectric point (4.2). A search

of known **protein** sequences revealed a strong similarity between this polypeptide and the thaumatin family of pathogenesis-related **proteins**. The cherry thaumatin-like **protein** does not have a sweet taste, and no antifungal activity was seen in preliminary assays. **Expression** of the **protein** appears to be regulated at the gene level, with mRNA levels at their highest in the ripe fruit.

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Title: CHARACTERIZATION OF AN ARABIDOPSIS-THALIANA GENE THAT DEFINES A NEW CLASS OF PUTATIVE **PLANT** RECEPTOR KINASES WITH AN EXTRACELLULAR LECTIN-LIKE DOMAIN (Abstract Available)
Author(s): HERVE C; DABOS P; GALAUD JP; ROUGE P; LESCURE B
Corporate Source: INRA,CNRS,LAB BIOL MOLEC & RELAT PLANTES MICROORGANISMES/F-31326 CASTANET TOLOSAN//FRANCE/; INRA,CNRS,LAB BIOL MOLEC & RELAT PLANTES MICROORGANISMES/F-31326 CASTANET TOLOSAN//FRANCE/; UNIV TOULOUSE 3,CTR BIOL & PHYSIOL VEGETALE,URACNRS 1941/F-31062 TOULOUSE//FRANCE/
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Abstract: We have characterized an Arabidopsis receptor-like serine/threonine kinase gene, Ath.lecRK1 (Arabidopsis thaliana lectin-receptor kinase), defining a new and putatively important class of **plant** receptor kinases. Structural features of the predicted polypeptide include an amino-terminal membrane-targeting signal sequence, a legume lectin-like extracellular domain, a single membrane-spanning domain, and a characteristic serine/threonine **protein** kinase domain. A **recombinant protein** containing the kinase domain can be autophosphorylated on a serine residue. Ath.lecRK1 is a member of a gene family of at least two closely related genes. Northern blot analysis indicates that the Ath.lecRK1 gene is weakly **expressed** in a variety of organs and is regulated in Arabidopsis cell suspension cultures according to the growth phase of cells. The role this new class of **plant** receptor kinase could play is discussed with regard to the transduction of oligosaccharide and **plant** hormone signals. (C) 1996 Academic Press Limited

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Title: SEASONAL-VARIATION OF WESTERN WHITE-PINE (PINUS MONTICOLA DON,D.) FOLIAGE **PROTEINS** (Abstract Available)
Author(s): EKRAMODDOULLAH AKM; TAYLOR DW
Corporate Source: CANADIAN FOREST SERV,PACIFIC FORESTRY CTR,506 WBURNSIDE RD/VICTORIA/BC/CANADA/
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Abstract: Recently, a western white pine **protein**, Pin m III, was shown to be associated with overwintering and frost hardiness of western white pine foliage. To examine whether Pin m III is directly involved in frost hardiness by functioning as an antifreeze **protein**, work is underway to clone the gene encoding this **protein** and to assess the function of this gene in freezing tolerance by incorporating the gene in a test **plant**, such as

tobacco. Here, we examined in more detail, by SDS-PAGE and also by two dimensional gel electrophoresis, the seasonal variation of additional **proteins** in western pine foliage. SDS-PAGE analysis of three seedlots showed that different **proteins** reached a maximum level in different months, although most **proteins** (5 to 11) reached a maximum level in winter months (December, January and February). The 2-D gel analysis of foliage sampled on three harvest dates (October, January and April) of one seedlot revealed a seasonal variation of a large number **proteins** (76 to 184). Of the seasonally varied **proteins**, the amino terminal sequence of several **proteins** including Pin m III was determined. One of the sequences was identified by homology to that of the small subunit of ribulose biphosphate carboxylase, whose level increased substantially from fall to spring. The amino terminal sequence of Pin m III had 89% homology to a sugar pine **protein**, Pin l I. The anti-photosystem II antibody was used to monitor the annual variation of the extrinsic 23-kDa photosystem II **protein**. The level of the extrinsic 23-kDa photosystem II **protein** decreased slowly as fall progressed and reached its lowest level in December and then increased in early spring indicating that this variation is due to photosynthetic activity of the foliage during the season.

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04684773 Genuine Article#: UB121 Number of References: 55
 Title: THE PR5K RECEPTOR **PROTEIN**-KINASE FROM ARABIDOPSIS-THALIANA IS STRUCTURALLY RELATED TO A FAMILY OF **PLANT DEFENSE PROTEINS**
 (Abstract Available)
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 Journal: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 1996, V93, N6 (MAR 19), P2598-2602
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 Language: ENGLISH Document Type: ARTICLE
 Abstract: We have isolated an Arabidopsis thaliana gene that codes for a receptor related to antifungal pathogenesis-related (PR) **proteins**. The PR5K gene codes for a predicted 665-amino acid polypeptide that comprises an extracellular domain related to the PR5 **proteins**, a central transmembrane-spanning domain, and an intracellular **protein**-serine/threonine kinase. The extracellular domain of PR5K (PR5-like receptor kinase) is most highly related to acidic PR5 **proteins** that accumulate in the extracellular spaces of **plants** challenged with pathogenic microorganisms. The kinase domain of PR5K is related to a family of **protein**-serine/threonine kinases that are involved in the **expression** of self-incompatibility and disease resistance. PR5K transcripts accumulate at low levels in all tissues examined, although particularly high levels are present in roots and inflorescence stems. Treatments that induce authentic PR5 **proteins** had no effect on the level of PR5K transcripts, suggesting that the receptor forms part of a preexisting surveillance system. When the kinase domain of PR5K was **expressed** in Escherichia coli, the resulting polypeptide underwent autophosphorylation, consistent with its predicted enzyme activity. These results are consistent with PR5K encoding a functional receptor kinase. Moreover, the structural similarity between the extracellular domain of PR5K and the antimicrobial PR5-**proteins** suggests a possible interaction with common or related microbial targets.

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Title: FUNCTIONAL **EXPRESSION** OF URIDINE 5'-DIPHOSPHO-GLUCOSE
4-EPIMERASE (EC-5.1.3.2) FROM ARABIDOPSIS-THALIANA IN
SACCHAROMYCES-CEREVISIAE AND ESCHERICHIA-COLI (Abstract Available)
Author(s): DORMANN P; BENNING C
Corporate Source: INST GENBIOL FORSCH BERLIN GMBH, IHNESTR 63/D-14195
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Journal: ARCHIVES OF BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOPHYSICS, 1996, V327, N1 (MAR
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Abstract: It is our goal to investigate the biosynthesis of
galactose-containing compounds in higher **plants**, Searching a
database of **expressed** sequence tags, a cDNA from Arabidopsis
thaliana (clone 108G20T7) with sequence similarity to UDP-glucose
epimerase was identified and further analyzed. The 1356-bp-long cDNA
included an open reading frame predicted to encode a 351 amino acid
protein of 39 kDa. The presumed **protein** sequence showed a
high degree of similarity to UDP-glucose epimerase sequences from
bacteria, rat, and yeast. Complementation of the Saccharomyces
cerevisiae gal10 mutant and **expression** of an active enzyme in
Escherichia coli demonstrated that the cDNA encoded a functional
UDP-glucose epimerase. The **recombinant** enzyme was purified to
homogeneity. It showed a broad pH optimum of 7.0 to 9.5 and a K-m of
0.11 mM. The UDP-glucose epimerase activity was not dependent on the
addition of the cofactor NAD(+) and was only moderately inhibited by
high salt concentrations. Tissue-specific Northern analysis showed
that the gene is **expressed** in all tissues of A. thaliana with
highest **expression** levels in the stems and roots. Eased on
Southern analysis, there seems to be a single gene encoding UDP-glucose
epimerase in A. thaliana. The cDNA analyzed during this study is the
first known to encode a sugar-nucleotide modifying enzyme from higher
plants. Its availability provides the means to investigate the
role of UDP-glucose epimerase for the biosynthesis of UDP-galactose as
precursor of galactolipids and cell wall polysaccharides. (C) 1996
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04595573 Genuine Article#: TW103 Number of References: 49
Title: DNA-SEQUENCE ANALYSIS, **EXPRESSION**, DISTRIBUTION, AND
PHYSIOLOGICAL-ROLE OF THE XAA-PROLYLDIPEPTIDYL AMINOPEPTIDASE GENE FROM
LACTOBACILLUS-HELVETICUS CNRZ32 (Abstract Available)
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Abstract: Lactobacillus helveticus CNRZ32 possesses an Xaa-prolyldipeptidyl
aminopeptidase (PepX), which releases amino-terminal dipeptides from
peptides containing proline residues in the penultimate position. The
PepX gene, designated pepX, from Lb. helveticus CNRZ32 was sequenced.
Analysis of the sequence identified a putative 2379-bp pepX
open-reading frame, which encodes a polypeptide of 793 amino acid

residues with a deduced molecular mass of 88 111 Da. The gene shows significant sequence identity with sequenced pepX genes from lactic acid bacteria. The product of the gene contains a motif that is almost identical with the active-site motif of the serine-dependent PepX from lactococci. The introduction of pepX into Lactococcus lactis LM0230 on either pGK12 (a low-copy-number plasmid vector) or pIL253 (a high-copy-number plasmid vector) did not result in a significant increase in PepX activity, while the introduction of pepX into CNRZ32 on pGK12 resulted in a four-fold increase in PepX activity. Southern hybridization experiments revealed that the pepX gene from CNRZ32 is well conserved in lactobacilli, pediococci and streptococci. The physiological role of PepX during growth in lactobacillus MRS (a rich medium containing **protein** hydrolysates along with other ingredients) and milk was examined by comparing growth of CNRZ32 and a CNRZ32 PepX-negative derivative. No difference in growth rate or acid production was observed between CNRZ32 and its PepX-negative derivative in MRS. However, the CNRZ32 PepX-negative derivative grew in milk at a reduced specific growth rate when compared to wild-type CNRZ32. Introduction of the cloned PepX determinant into the CNRZ32 PepX-negative derivative resulted in a construct with a specific growth rate similar to that of wild-type CNRZ32.

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02134501 Genuine Article#: KE191 Number of References: 57
Title: **EXPRESSION** OF ANTISENSE OR SENSE RNA OF AN ANKYRIN
REPEAT-CONTAINING GENE BLOCKS CHLOROPLAST DIFFERENTIATION IN
ARABIDOPSIS (Abstract Available)
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Corporate Source: HARVARD UNIV,SCH MED,DEPT GENET/BOSTON//MA/02114; HARVARD
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MOLEC BIOL/BOSTON//MA/02114; NORTHEASTERN UNIV,DEPT
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Abstract: The Arabidopsis AKR gene that encodes a **protein** with four ankyrin repeats (a 33-amino acid motif that appears in the 89K domain of the **human protein** ankyrin) was isolated and characterized. A short sequence outside the ankyrin repeats is similar to that of the **protein** of the Drosophila muscle segment homeobox (msh) gene. The **expression** of the AKR gene is light dependent, and transgenic Arabidopsis **plants** with two or more copies of an antisense or sense AKR construct became chlorotic in a developmentally regulated manner. The chlorotic phenotype was genetically transmitted to the next generation, although most chlorotic **plants** produced much less seed. Reduced presence of thylakoid membranes and loss of grana are found in the plastids of chlorotic leaves, indicating that antisense or sense AKR has blocked chloroplast differentiation. This study indicates the importance of ankyrin repeat-containing **proteins**, not only in yeast and animals, but in **plants** as well.

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Cloning fragment Gamma-chain **human** fibrinogen by Trioredoxin gene fusion
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It has been very difficult to produce heterologues **human protein** in *E. coli* cells **expression** system. We tried a new fusion gene **expression** system based on the used of *E. coli*. Thioredoxin as the fusion partner. Position of DNA N-terminal peptide (340 bp) from gamma-chain **human** fibrinogen was isolated as foreign genes. Thioredoxin vector (3.6 kb) was used to clone foreign genes into multiple cloning site of the **expression** vector. The **recombinant** vector transferred by electrophoration method into competent cells *E. coli* G1724. The fusion **protein** was analyzed by SDS-PAGE gel. Enterokinase cleavage site allows release of N-terminal peptide of gamma-chain **human** fibrinogen from C-terminal peptide Thioredoxin. The purified gamma-chain will continue to study the binding site domain by using NMR